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ROMARE BEARDEN LECTURE

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DISTINGUISHED AMERICAN ARTIST ROMARE (ROAM-AIR) BEARDEN WILL SPEAK AT THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13. FOLLOWING A HALF-HOUR FILM ON HIS LIFE, SHOWN AT 4:00 PM, BEARDEN WILL DISCUSS HIS WORK.

PAINTING SINCE THE 1930s, BEARDEN HAS WON CRITICAL ACCLAIM FOR HIS BRILLIANTLY COLORED COLLAGES RECALLING SCENES FROM HIS YOUTH IN NORTH CAROLINA AND HARLEM. MAJOR MUSEUMS HAVE EXHIBITED AND COLLECTED HIS WORK.

THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART INVITES YOU TO HEAR, AND MEET, ROMARE (ROAM-AIR) BEARDEN ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, AT 4:00 PM. THE PROGRAM IS FREE.

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